



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: Valerie Michelle Arem

U.S. Serial No.: 09/923,127

Filed: 6 August 2001

Group Art Unit: 3765

Examiner: Rodney M. Lindsey

For: "Invisible Pocket"

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)
AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1)

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

A three month extension of the period for response to the outstanding Office Action mailed September 4, 2003, is hereby requested; the extended period for response will expire on March 4, 2004.

A check for the \$460.00 extension fee required by 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1) is enclosed herewith.
A duplicate of this letter is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date 4 March 2004

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